GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA

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CIVIL AVIATION REQUIREMENT
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Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether non-compliance of the provisions of Civil Aviation Requirement is punishable under the provision of Schedule VI to the Aircraft Rules 1937;

(b) if so, the details of Civil Aviation Requirement;

(c) the action taken during each of the last three years and current year under the provision of CAR and against whom;

(d) whether no action has been taken on the provisions under the said Act for a long time; and

(e) if so, the details thereof along with the changes, if any, likely to be made thereon?

Answer

MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI AJIT SINGH)

(a) and (b): Yes, Madam. The non-compliance of Civil Aviation Requirement (CAR) is punishable as per Schedule VI of the Aircraft Rules, 1937. Category lll of Schedule VI prescribes punishable offence with imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months or with fine not exceeding two lakh rupees, or with both for non-compliance with the directions issued under Rule 133A, under which CAR are issued.

(c) to (e): DGCA has taken no action for non-compliance of CAR as per Category lll of Schedule VI of Air Craft Rule, 1937. However, 504 enforcement actions have been taken against operators and personnel from January, 2009 till July, 2012. These are actions such as suspension or cancellation of licenses/certificates/permits, oral counseling, warnings, debarment etc. The details in this regard are annexed.